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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

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Total Claims	23	MINUS	23	00	x 25 =	x 50 = 00
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- Applicant(s) hereby petition for a month extension(s) of time to respond to the aforementioned Office Action.
- Applicant(s) believe that no (additional) Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant(s) hereby petition that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 500388.
- Enclosed is our Check No. in the amount of \$ to cover the additional claim fee and/or extension of time fees.
- Please charge any additional fees required to facilitate filing the enclosed response, to Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. NOVLP082).

Respectfully submitted,
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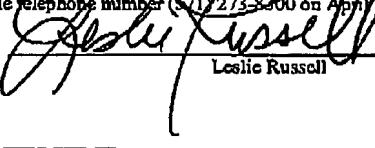
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This is in response to the Office Action dated March 27, 2007. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments beginning on page 5 of this paper.

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